

St. Dominic High School

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From the Principal's Office

Dr. Ronald J. Martorelli

It was a pleasure to see so many parents at our *Back to School Night!* As you heard that night, we have a lot going on as we start our new year. Remember that our new mobile app will provide daily alerts about events and activities. Search your app store for The Schools of St Dominic and download the app today!

This week is Spirit Week at SDHS! [Students can participate in a variety of ways](#), culminating in a pep rally on Friday, and the [Homecoming Game](#) on Saturday September 24th.

Join our newly launched [SDHS Parent Association](#) at their first meeting on Thursday September 22nd.

Friday, September 23 - please join us in the Chapel at 5:00 pm for Mass, followed by a [Cocktail Party](#) in the Elementary School Social Room, and Food Truck Friday behind the Chapel.

Save the Date for [Financial Aid Night](#) on September 27th!

Stop by [Theodore's Books](#) on October 2nd. Shop, enjoy a glass of wine, and support both a local business and our school.

If your child may be interested in a [school trip to Italy](#) during the February break, please click here for more information and to register by October 1st for discount trip pricing.

More in the pages ahead!



a thought for the week ahead:

In a world and a Church sincerely devoted to doing many good works that could bring about peace, we might sometimes overlook the fact that the greatest work of all is prayer. We dare not abandon the good works, but let us remember that peace is ultimately God's desire and God's achievement: let us pray earnestly,

"Thy will be done."

School News

High School Student Life News
from Mrs. LoManto, Dean of Students

Tuesday, Sept. 20

Clubs/Activities Fair and 11:00am Dismissal

Wednesday, Sept. 21

Disney Trip Meeting in the auditorium at 6:00pm

Friday, Sept. 23

Student Council Elections

Spirit Week!!

Mon: Crazy Sock Day

Tues: Club Fair Day

Wed: Sports Jersey Day

Thurs.: Neon Day

Fri: Spirit Day and Pep Rally

****Please make sure you follow the dress down day guidelines that were sent out.**

All students are reminded to wear their school ID throughout the day for safety and security.

from Mr. Hardy, Dean of Admissions & Student Activities

Tours for prospective families are always available. Contact Ms. Parrinello in the Admissions Office at 516-922-4888 X 5315 or iparrinello@stdoms.org.

Remember our Open House on Sunday October 2nd.
Please spread the word!



High School Guidance News
from Mrs. Milkowski, Assistant Principal
nmilkowski@stdoms.org

Honor Society Applications

Honor Society Applications will be available on Monday, September 19th. Please see specific class pages for applications. NHS applications will be distributed to all students who qualify. All Applications are due Tuesday, October 6, 2022.

St. Dominic High School College Fair

On Tuesday, October 4th, 2022, The Guidance Department will be hosting a college fair for juniors and seniors in the gymnasium during 2nd and 3rd periods. A list of colleges and universities attending is posted on the Guidance webpage.

Financial Aid Night

On Tuesday, September 25, 2022, The Guidance Department will be hosting Financial Aid Night for The Class of 2023 in the auditorium at 7 PM.

**College Visits Week of 9/19/22
(2:50 in the Guidance Office)**

9/19 Bryant University

9/21 Union College

9/22 Roanoke College

Extra-Help

Available everyday after school. Please see the updated extra-help schedule on our website or [Click here for extra-help schedule](#)

National Honor Society students are also available for one-on-one tutoring. Please contact Mrs. Milkowski if your student would like a NHS tutor.

HAVE A GREAT WEEK!!!!!!!

Athletic News

from Mr. O'Brien, Athletic Director

Monday, September 19:

Girls Tennis at Our Lady of Mercy at 4:15 at Nassau Country Club

Tuesday, September 20:

JV/Varsity Girls Volleyball vs. St. Mary's 4:15/5:45
Girls Tennis vs. St. Anthony's at 4:15

Wednesday, September 21:

Cross Country to Sunken Meadow at 4:30
Girls Tennis to Kellenberg at 4:15

Thursday, September 22:

Girls Tennis vs. St. Mary's at 4:15
JV/Varsity Girls Volleyball at Holy Trinity at 4:15/5:45
Boys soccer at Kellenberg

Friday, September 23:

Girls tennis at Sacred Heart at Hempstead Country Club at 4:15

Saturday, September 24:

HOME COMING VS. RAMAPO AT 1:00 AT CENTRE ISLAND

Campus Ministry News

From Fr. Christopher Heller, Chaplain

As Catholics, we begin and end all things with prayer, our school year at Saint Dominic's is no different. We began our year with an opening Mass in a church full of students from the elementary school and high school. Saint Dominic's is unique among the Catholic high schools of Long Island as the only school where the entire community gathers together for Mass each week. We are a school with a vibrant Catholic identity, dedicated to affording each student the experience of encountering Christ in a personal way. For that



reason, our first two weeks of school were imbued with prayer in other ways as well. We continued the annual tradition of blessing the cars of the Senior class after Senior Sunrise. The Campus Ministry room has been in full swing and students have been invited to get involved as Mass volunteers and student leaders. Saint Dominic's brought a large group of students to the first Holy Holy for Vocations at the Seminary in Huntington. Father Tom offered the homily, and a number of teachers attended. Special thanks to Coach Villante and the football team for a great showing! These Holy Hours occur every month and are open to the public. All are welcome!



